

NOTICE

The Judicial Nominating Commission gives public notice that it has received notification from the Governor that the following offices can be filled by the appointment of the Governor with the concurrence of the Senate:

Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Delaware

(Due to the retirement of The Honorable Henry duPont Ridgely)

There is a requirement of political balance under Art. IV, § 3 of the Delaware Constitution and in this case, the appointee may be a member of either party. The appointee must be a citizen of the State of Delaware and learned in the law. The position provides an annual salary of \$192,360.

Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Delaware, Kent County

(Due to the appointment of the Honorable Jan R. Jurden as President Judge of the Superior Court)

There is a requirement of political balance under Art. IV, § 3 of the Delaware Constitution and in this case, the appointee must be a member of the Democratic Party. The appointee must be a citizen of the State of Delaware and learned in the law. The position provides an annual salary of \$180,733.

Judge of the Superior Court of the State of Delaware, New Castle County

(Due to the expiration of the term of the Honorable Calvin L. Scott Jr.,
who is seeking re-appointment)

There is a requirement of political balance under Art. IV, § 3 of the Delaware Constitution and in this case, the appointee may be a member of either party. The appointee must be a citizen of the State of Delaware and learned in the law. The position provides an annual salary of \$180,733.

Commissioner of the Court of Common Pleas, New Castle County

(Due to the expiration of the term of the Honorable Mary M. McDonough,
who is seeking re-appointment)

There is a requirement of political balance under 10 *Del. C.* §1315(a) and in this case, the appointee must be Democrat. There also are requirements that the appointee be a resident of New Castle County and duly admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the State of Delaware. The position provides an annual salary of \$107,898.

Commissioner of Family Court, New Castle County

(Due to the expiration of the term of the Honorable Susan Tussey, who is seeking re-appointment)

There are no political balance requirements for this office. The appointee must be a resident of the State of Delaware for at least 5 years immediately preceding his or her appointment and reside in New Castle County. All non-incumbent applicants must be duly admitted to practice law before the Supreme Court of the State of Delaware. The position provides an annual salary of \$111,775.

Persons who meet the legal qualifications of the offices described above are invited to file with the Commission a "Questionnaire for Nominees for Judicial Office." The form may be obtained from the Commission by calling (302) 856-4235 and asking for Staci Hammonds or can be downloaded online at <http://courts.delaware.gov> by going to the general information navigation tab at the top, clicking career opportunities and then clicking on "Questionnaire for Nominees for Judicial Office" under the heading for judicial officer postings. Any person desiring to suggest candidates is invited to write to the Commission.

Completed Questionnaires must be received **no later than noon on February 6, 2015** at the below-listed address. Interviews of candidates will be scheduled thereafter.

Judicial Nominating Commission
The Hon. William B. Chandler, III, Chairman
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Dated: January 13, 2015